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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 8, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.

Remarks begin at page 7.